

THE MARYLAND GAZETTE

Containing the freshest Advices, Foreign and Domestic.

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From the REMEMBRANCER.

EPICURISM ruinous to the State.

❖❖❖ O be fantastical, in a fine lady is privilege, in a great lady prerogative; and so very rarely is either of them waded, that when grandeur or beauty makes it's approaches, we expect a suitable equipage of airs and whims, and receive the fair idol with all the courtesy of England.

BUT, tho' custom and false gallantry have left the ladies in possession of a right to be ridiculous, what shall be urged in defence of any male creature, who not only adopts every effeminate foible, but glories in them; and affects to despise and ridicule the rough unpolish'd creature, who has sense and spirit enough to persist in the manly port of his forefathers?

SHOULD it be asked by any villager, who had never been out of the hundred where he was born (and none but such could ask the question), if we really had any such *Epicures* amongst us; I would, if possible, persuade him to take a step to town for information; would lead him to the Park, the Play, the Opera, the C—, and the Parade in all which places, I would entertain him with a view of the scholars, gentlemen, senators and heroes of the age.

SHOULD I farther tell him, that the fate of his country was in the hands of such things as these; that they were to be the props of the present age, the fathers of the next, and perhaps the examples of many more: Would not this very peasant, knotted as he grew, blush with shame, tremble with fear, and glow with rage, at so dire a prospect?

THE politics of our great state pilots have, in this one fatal particular, become the politics of the nation. Every gay young fellow now a-days glories in being half *Christian*, half *Epicurean*; in taking no thought for tomorrow, and pursuing pleasures as his *summum bonum*. Hence, let our miners sap the constitution below; let the progress they make from day to day be pointed out ever so plainly, shall they dress, dance, wench, and fiddle on, as if no way concerned in the general ruin. Hence, let nations league against us, let war burst upon us with all it's terrors, let the force of Peace beset us with all her enchantments, shall they dress, dance, wench, and fiddle on; alike trusting *mercenaries* to save them, and permitting *mercenaries* to undo them.

IN storms at sea, every passenger confesseth himself, and no hands is found too delicate to lend assistance; because all are embarked in the same bottom. The commonwealth is likewise a huge bark; and when endanger'd, if every man had the eyes of *Argus*, and the hands of *Briareus*, he ought to employ them all for the general preservation.

BUT we have observed a quite opposite conduct; and provided our mess was served, and our bowl full, have on all occasions shewn an utter indifference, whether the ship sunk or swam.

He that has a command, for example, attends more to the profits and perquisites, than the duties, of his post: And he that has none, believes he has no duty to attend at all.

A WAR is the storm of a state; and from what quarter soever it blows, it ought to be esteemed a very serious interval by every body on board.

BUT when we were beset by two wars at once, I appeal to every man's own observation, whether History affords us any parallel instance of a people so thoughtless, and so secure. Did we so much as dream of any reform of manners? Did we address ourselves to reduce any one article of expence? Did we, as individuals, think it incumbent on us to make the least preparation against either of those storms, which at last rose to such a height as required all our strength and address to weather? On the contrary, did we not wallow, as before, in riot? Did we not continue the slaves of luxury? Were not ostentation and prodigality the great business of our lives? Did we not esteem every moment lost that was diverted from those favourite pursuits, and every monitor impertinent, who endeavoured to rouse us from that fatal lethargy?

PEACE, on the other hand, is that halcyon calm, in which it is supposed a matter of indifference, if not a claim of right, to throw up all concern for the public, and to give a loose to every kind of sensuality, even under the very eye of *Cato* himself: But when the bark is leaky, the rigging rotten, the stores exhausted, the mariners mutinous and corrupt, the officers careless and unskilful, and the very pilots studious of nothing but to run away with the ship; when such is the state of the commonwealth, even in peace itself, a life of frolic and extravagance, supineness and indolence, is a life of infamy.

THIS still my sincere opinion, that no nation in Europe has better instincts; or in other words, is more disposed by Nature to act up to the noblest examples, than our own: Thus, among our youth, I mean such as are not debauch'd at the very threshold of life, we generally find the dawning of whatsoever contributes to elevate and ennoble human nature. But as soon as they grow intimate with the world, and observe that every individual falls in a separate bottom, with interest for their pilot, and pleasure for the only port to which they are all bound; when they find selfish maxims every where propagated, and whatever tends purely and simply to the good of society, exposed, ridicul'd, and condemn'd as little better than downright *Quixotism*, and what ought to be punished with *Bodley*, they have not firmness enough to oppose their own sense to that of the age; but as they cannot turn the tide, give way to it, pursue the same gay voyage with the rest, and provided they steer their own barks in safety, laugh at the wreck of others.

THIS, I must own, is but a melancholy picture; but to our great misfortune, 'tis taken from the life. As therefore the present state of our public affairs is likely to be attended with very serious consequences, it is not only reasonable but necessary to give this timely warning; and call upon the patriot in particular, if there are any yet remaining who have a right to answer to that venerable name, to make good his title to it, by devoting some part of his Time to, and placing some part of his pleasure in, the service of his country.

TO be of consequence to the public, a man should be amiable in private life; and whoever would publish the faults of a minister, should qualify himself to prosecute by amending his own. *Cromwell*, in his family as well as the Field, resembled a *Spartan*; having no vices of his own, he was authorized to give no quarter to those of others. Whoever therefore, whether friend or foe to those in power, would be thought to consult the welfare of Great-Britain, let them endeavour in earnest to put a stop to the licentious manners of the times; let them correct, if possible, the extravagance of youth, and the venality of age: 'Tis from these two fatal springs the venom flows that has already more than half ruined our constitution; and unless these are purified, we can never hope for a thorough cure.

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of *Shall* add no more than this; *Crasus* being ask'd by *Cy-
rus*, how he should effectually enslave a nation he had conquer-
ed, answered, *By debauching their manners; by letting loose in-
temperance among them. The chains of Luxury are the easiest
borne, and the hardest to break, of any in the world.*

L O N D O N.

By letters from Petersburg we have a confirmation, that on the 14th of August last the town of Wenden in Livonia was entirely destroyed by fire, which began at a cooper's at one end of the town, and in the space of little more than half an hour, consum'd all the public and private buildings, such as churches, chapels, schools, &c. together with the noble palace of the high chancellor, count Bestucheff Rumén, leaving only sixteen ordinary houses standing at the further end of the place. By this melancholy accident a multitude of families that were in good circumstances, are reduced to absolute want of bread, and which is worse, near thirty of the most substantial inhabitants perished in the flames; amongst whom was the town-clerk, who by endeavouring to save the archives lost his life.

A few days ago died at Bath the right reverend Dr. Edmund Gibson, lord bishop of London, and dean of his majesty's chapel, a worthy and pious prelate, in the 80th year of his age. He was consecrated bishop of Lincoln in 1715, in the room of Dr. Wake promoted to the see of Canterbury; and, on the death of Dr. John Robinson, was translated to the see of London, in 1733. In the year 1713, he publish'd his famous *Co-
dex Juris Ecclesiastici Anglicani*. He was buried at Fulham, near the remains of his lady.

We hear that the earl of Halifax will be appointed first lord of trade, in the room of lord Monson deceased.

The 31st of August being the day appointed for the execution of seven men, who mutinied on board the *Old Noll* privateer, and who were tried and condemned some time ago, by a court martial; the boats belonging to each ship in commission in the harbour went out to Spithead early in the morning, with a lieutenant and a file of musqueteers in each, and about ten o'clock the prisoners were brought upon the deck of the *Prince Henry*, to have their sentence executed: the blocks were reeved, the halters about their necks, the death flag let fly, and the signal gun fired for their being drawn up; when to their unspeakable joy and surprize, their caps were pull'd from over their eyes, and they were inform'd that they were reprieved. There were ten others concerned in the mutiny, who were sentenced to receive 300 lashes from ship to ship.

September 10. This morning his royal highness the duke of Cumberland set out from St. James's for Harwich; from which place he sail'd for Holland the next day, and on the 13th arrived at the head quarters of the allied army in Flanders.

Sept. 13. The workmen finish'd the pulling down the scaffold in Westminster hall, erected for the trials of the rebel lords, which was sold to a builder for 400*l*. the perquisite of his grace the duke of Ancafter, as lord great chamberlain of England.

Sept. 15. This day was held a general court of the governor and company of the Bank of England; when a dividend of two and a half per cent, for interest and profits, was agreed to, for the half year ending at Michaelmas next: the dividend warrants to be deliver'd October 17.

Sept. 17. Orders were given by the lords of the Admiralty for the immediate manning of six 20 gun ships, to cruise off the coasts of Spain and Genoa.

The following admirals were ordered to be in readiness to take upon them their commands; sir Edward Hawke, for the Channel; sir Peter Warren, for the Mediterranean; and admiral Chambers, for the West-Indies.

Sir William Calvert, knight, alderman of Portoken Ward, was chosen Lord Mayor of the city of London for the year ensuing.

Sept. 22. The 16th of next month is fix'd for his majesty's departure from Hanover, who intends to keep his birth day at St James's.

On Friday evening a gang of fellows robb'd near thirty persons in and about Moorfields; from mr. Thörn, a turner, they took a watch, eight guineas, and some silver, and gave him such a violent blow on the left side of his head, that he died on Sunday morning at his house at Bunhill.

There is advice, that the slaves on board capt. Burden, of the *Amelia*, bound for New-England from the coast of Guiney, with negroes, gold dust, &c. rose upon the captain and crew in their passage, and kill'd several of them; some by swimming

fav'd their lives; what became of the vessel and the negroes has been no account since.

On Tuesday was held a board of admiralty, when their lordships appointed capt. Willitt to be commander of the *Garland* man of war, a new ship of 24 guns, lately launch'd.

Yesterday in the afternoon a boat passing through one of the arches of London-Bridge, ran foul of a lighter that was sunk under it. There were eight women in the boat, who were going to Hungerford, six of whom were drown'd; but the other two, and the waterman were sav'd with difficulty.

Soon after another boat was overset on the same lighter, in which were a gentleman and a waterman, the latter of whom was drown'd; but the gentleman sav'd himself.

The above melancholy accidents happen'd at high water, when the tide pass'd over the lighter, so as to cover it, but not sufficient to carry a boat over it.—It is said that by the laws of the city, when an accident happens that any vessel is sunk in an arch of the bridge, the proprietor of the vessel is oblig'd to put up marks at head and stern, to prevent accidents:—It so, how can the said proprietor reconcile to himself being the cause of seven people losing their lives.

We hear the fire-works, on account of the peace, will not be in Lincoln's-Inn Fields, the inhabitants fearing they may have their houses damaged thereby.

Yesterday was held a court of hustings at Guildhall, when Edward Ironside, Esq; alderman of cordwainers ward, and Thomas Rawlinson, Esq; alderman of broad street ward, were sworn in sheriffs of this city, and had the keys of the several goals, and lists of the prisoners confin'd, deliver'd to them according to annual custom; after which the new sheriffs provided an elegant entertainment, at which were present the right honourable the lord Mayor, several of the aldermen, and divers other persons of distinction.

Extract of a Letter from Gibraltar, dated July 16, 1748.

Came in here from a cruise his majesty's armed vessel the *Maddalena*, commanded by Mr. Benjamin Marlow, one of admiral Byng's lieutenants, who was attacked in the gut by three *Xebeques*, which so much infest our trade going in and out of the Mediterranean; they took him for a merchant ship, having hauled in all his guns and cover'd his ports. Upon their first firing, he keeping on his course, and shewing French colours, came up with great spirit, and their colours flying, frequently firing their chase guns 'til they came within hale, asking from whence he came; they were answered, from Martinico: Upon their advancing a little nearer, they were soon undeceived by a smart and continual fire from the great guns, loaded with round and grape shot, and all his small arms. So unexpected a reception put them into the utmost confusion, and two of them sheer'd off immediately, being terribly drubb'd; but the third not being so brisk, and having had the greatest share of the fire, had certainly fallen into his hands, but unluckily, thro' little winds and a strong current, the ship mis'd stays and was obliged to veer round, which gave them an opportunity to get up their sails, and out with their oars: However, as they could not gain enough of the wind, they made sail for the Barbary shore, the *Maddalena* following them, keeping a continual fire with her chase guns, 'til coming near in, they ran into a creek under Apes Hill, where she could not follow them, by reason of the current setting strong in upon some rocks: Being however willing, if possible, to destroy such a pest as they have been to our trade all this war, upon their making for the shore capt. Marlow gave them a broadside of round and grape shot, as he wore off the shore, which he imagines did them more damage than the rest; for after he made sail for this place, he saw them go to Ceuta, not being able to cross the gut.

P. S. The *Maddalena* is a polacco taken from the French, and put in commission by admiral Byng: She mounts 16 carriage guns of four pounders, and 88 men. We have heard since from Old Gibraltar, that the Spaniards suffered prodigiously in their vessels: The Insurers are much obliged to this gallant gentleman.

N E W - Y O R K.

November 21. Yesterday arrived here from a cruise, the privateer sloop *Morning-Star*, capt. Linus King, commander, being the last of our privateers that have been taken and brought to Sandy-Hook, a Spanish schooner of six carriage guns, who had 24 men, which they met with in lat. 11. off Salteruda; bound from Cales to the coast of Carracas, richly laden; but as they took her on the 16th day of September last, which appears to be 6 days after the cessation of arms took place with that nation; it is beyond dispute, that they will be obliged to restore her again, which must indeed be

be the greatest mortification and disappointment that can befall such an undertaking: They went out from this port before the cessation with France, and which they getting intelligence of while at sea, they bent their course against the Spaniards, with whom they were assured no cessation was then agreed, and indeed it cannot but be thought by common sense, to be really unjust for them to be deprived of this capture, since it was impossible for them to know of the cessation of hostilities with those people, as the proclamation was not issued in England before the 6th of August, and which was so universally unknown in America the 6th of October, that admiral Knowles on that day, very innocently, as well as very happily, gave the Spaniards a handsome *Drubango* off the Havana, which 'tis probable may be the last they will receive this war. capt King set the Spanish captain and men ashore on Porto Rico.

ANNAPOLIS.

His Excellency our Governor has been pleased to commission the following Gentlemen to be Justices of the Peace in Frederick County, viz. The Worshipful Messieurs Nathaniel Wickham, Junr Thomas Dawson, Thomas Crisp, Thomas Butty, Joseph Chaplin, Henry Munday, Thomas Pratt, George Gordon, Joseph Ogle, William Griffith, and John Rowlands, John Darnall, Esq; is appointed Clerk of the County, and Deputy Commissary. John Thomas, Esq; High-Sheriff. And Mr. Isaac Brook, Surveyor.

ADVERTISEMENTS.

AN Y Gentlemen, or others, who have Occasion to cross the Bay to Kent Island, may apply themselves to the Subscriber, who keeps commodious Boats for that Purpose; and Attendance will constantly be given at my House in the City of Annapolis. THOMAS WILLIAMSON.

ALL Persons that still remain indebted to the Estate of Thomas Lloyd, late of Anne Arundel County, deceased, are desired to pay their respective Balances immediately; otherwise they will be proceeded against as the Law directs. JAMES DICK.

STRAYED from the Nottingham Works, in Baltimore County, about the last of September, a middle sized Bright Bay Horse; he has four white Feet, a Blaze in his Face, and is branded JS on one Buttock, and SI on the other: He was bred in Prince George's County, near Mr. Osborn Sprigg's, and was some Time ago the Property of Mr. John Skinner of Lancaster Marlborough. Whoever takes up the said Horse and brings him to the Subscriber at Joppa, shall have Twenty Shillings Reward, if taken up in Baltimore County; or if in any other County, Forty Shillings; from DAVID McCULLOCH.

THIS is to give Notice, that there is at my Plantation at Lingan Ore, one large Black Horse, branded on the near Shoulder and Buttock D; only not so plain on the Buttock as Shoulder; he had on when he came there a Bell, marked thus, IHUTTON. Also a middle sized Black Mare, with a Two Years old Black Colt, with a Slit in his Ear; she is branded on the near Shoulder N; and on the near Buttock O, a Blaze on her Forehead, with a Snip on her Nose, and one hind Foot white. Whoever applies to me at Annapolis, and proves his Property, may have them again, paying the Charge of this Advertisement. WILLIAM CUMMING.

N. B. They are very valuable Creatures.

To be SOLD.

By the Subscriber, at Chester-Town, a very neat Chaise, and several Riding-Chairs; at very reasonable Rates, for Sterling Money, or Paper Currency. BENJAMIN BINNEY.

Notice is hereby given,

THAT John Raist is removed from the House over against Mrs. Bordley's in North-East Street, to the House where Mr. Asbury Sutton lately lived, near the Dock in Annapolis, where he sells all Sorts of European and India Goods; at the most reasonable Rates. He likewise sells Rum, Sugar, Molasses, &c. Also Dr. James's famous Fever Powder, Dr. Hooper's Female Pills, Greenough's Tincture for the Tooth-ach, and cleaning of Teeth, and Fryar's Balsam; all patented by his Majesty.

To be SOLD by PUBLIC VENDOR;

At the House of Mr. Joseph Hill, near Annapolis, on Friday the 26th of this Instant December.

A Large Quantity of Fringes, and very good Druggers, Red and Blue check & Cottons, Silk, Cotton, and Linen Handkerchiefs; Dowls; brown and yellow Threads; sewing Silk; Shot; a large Parcel of Cutlery Ware; an Anchor, weighing about 350 lb. with many other Things too tedious to mention.

The Sale will begin between 11 and 12 o' Clock on the said Day, and continue till all be sold: The Goods will be set up in Lots, to the Satisfaction of the Purchasers, at the lowest Prices, for Ready Money, or short Credit, by

JONAS GREEN.

ALMANACKS, for the Year 1749, to be sold by the Printer hereof. Likewise Pocket Almanacks.

NOICE is hereby given, that George Raviere, a French Surgeon, is lately arrived in this City, who has a POWDER, approved of by the Royal Academy of Sciences at Paris, which infallibly cures all manner of Fevers, whether constant or intermitting; and is much preferable to the Bark, as it leaves not those Pains in the Stomach, and to her Disorders behind it; as all those who have taken it, and experienced the Virtues, can testify; no less than thirty Persons (being all who have taken it here) having been quite cured by it. This Powder likewise cures the Swelling of the Legs and piers, &c. of 6 or 7 Months Continuance, except it be turned to a Dropsy with several other Maladies. And, that the Poor as well as Rich may be supplied with so excellent a Remedy, it is sold at Three Shillings Curr-ncy each Paper; six Papers being generally sufficient to perform the Cure; and in many Cases, half that Number.

This Powder is sold, and the Doctor may be advised with, at the Sign of the Indian King, in Annapolis; where Printed Directions will be given gratis to such as purchase the Powder.

RAN away from the Subscriber, in Prince George's County, near the Wood Yard, an English Convict Servant Man named John Booker; he is of a middle Stature, a Weaver by Trade, and had on when he went away a white woollen Jacket, a green Jacket without Sleeves, country made corby Breeches, a cotton Shirt, cotton Stockings very much darned, turn'd Pumps, silver Shoe Buckles, and an old felt Hat: He is mark'd with the Letters I B, on the Buck of one of his Hips. Whoever secures the said Servant, so as his Master may have him again, shall have Twenty Shillings Reward, besides what the Law allows. JOSEPH JOHNSON.

NICHOLAS CLOUDS,

Hereby gives Notice to all Gentlemen and others, that he is removed from Broad Creek to Cooper's Point, on Kent Island; where they may depend on meeting with good Boats and skilful Hands, to cross the Bay, and good Entertainment for themselves and Horses, from

Thir humble Servant,

NICHOLAS CLOUDS.

N. B. Gentlemen may find me almost any Day, at Mr. Thomas Williamson's in Annapolis.

RAN away from the Baltimore Iron-Works, the 19th Instant, a Negro Man named Jack, belonging to Daniel Dulany, Esq; and Company; he was advertised in this Paper last Summer, and taken near Severn Ferry: He was bred in Talbot County, and may endeavour to get over the Bay; he is a sensible Country born Fellow, about 30 Years of Age, and had on when he went away a Felt-Hat, a cotton Jacket and Breeches, new Shoes and Stockings, two new Olmabrigs Shirts, and may have stolen other Cloaths.

Whoever brings him to the Subscriber at the said Works, shall have Twenty Shillings Reward; or if taken on the Eastern shore, Forty Shillings. RICHARD CROXALL.

November 27, 1748.

RAN away from the Baltimore Iron-Works, on Monday last, a Negro Man named Solomon, a likely Country born young Man, formerly belonging to Mr. Thomas Talbot, near Annapolis, and 'tis supposed that he is down that Way. He had on when he went away two new Olmabrigs Shirts, blue Fearing nothing Jacket, new Shoes and Stockings, and a Leather Cap. Whoever brings the said Negro to the Works aforesaid, shall have Twenty Shillings Reward. RICHARD CROXALL.

WILLIAM DIXON, STAY-MAKER,

AT his House, opposite to *Edmund Jennings's*, Esq; in *Annapolis*, Makes and Sells all Sorts of Stays for Women and Girls, in the best and neatest Manner, and at the most reasonable Prices; for Ready Money only.

LATELY IMPORTED.

And to be SOLD by WILLIAM GOVANE, at his House near *Annapolis*, very cheap, for ready Money, or short Credit.

Choice *Barbadoes* Rum, *New-England* Ditto, *Muscovado* Sugar, Coffee, Iron Pots, Iron Skillets, *New England* Soap in small Boxes, Train Oil, Rush-bottom Chairs, and a Parcel of strong *Osabrigs*.

Annapolis, November 23, 1748.

THE Subscriber intending to depart this Province, early in the Spring, hereby desires all Persons who are any way indebted to him, to discharge their respective Debts, in order to prevent further Trouble. And those who have any demands on the said Subscriber, are desired to bring in their Accounts, that they may be adjusted.

JOHN INCH.

November 6, 1748.

RAN away on the 3d of this instant *November*, from the Subscriber living at *Bladenburg* in *Prince George's* County, an *English* Convict Servant Man named *Charles Elliott*, 5 Feet 9 Inches high, about 21 Years of Age, flat faced, pale, and much pitted with the Small Pox: He had on when he went away a striped flannel Jacket, a white cotton Ditto, a large black Wig, a worsted cap, brown cloth Breeches, with linen Drawers under them, fail-cloth Trowsers, a fine check Shirt, an osabrig: Ditto, country made Shoes, but no Hat nor Stockings: He has no Trade, but possibly may pretend to some; he formerly belonged to *John Hook* of *Maneckys*, and ran away from *Annapolis*: Whoever takes up the said Servant, and brings him to his Master, shall have Forty Shillings Reward, and reasonable Charges, paid by

NATHANAEL FOLSON.

THE Subscriber hereby gives Notice, that he will give 15 d. per Pound for any Quantity of clean long Hog's Bristles. Whoever has any to dispose of, are desired to bring or send them to the Printing-Office in *Annapolis*.

NATHANAEL BAYNE.

Notice is hereby given, that the Subscriber has removed from *John Campbell's*, to the House opposite to *Mr. Macnamara's* in *Duke of Gloucester Street*, in *Annapolis*; where he makes and sells as good Chocolate as was ever made in *England*, at 4 s. 6 d. per Pound: Likewise *Scotch* Snuff, as good as any imported from *Europe*, at 2 s. 6 d. per Pound; and the best *French* Rappee Snuff, at 3 s. per Pound. Constant Attendance is given at said House by

ISAAC NAVARO.

Notice is hereby given, that the Baking Business is now carried on by *William Offen*, Baker, at the Subscriber's Plantation, on *Grafting Creek*, near the Mouth of *Chester River*, in *Kent* County; where Persons may be supplied with any Quantity of Ship Bread: Likewise, at the same Place, Wheat is ground, boalted, and baked, at reasonable Rates, by

RICHARD GRESHAM.

THE Commissioners of the Paper Currency Office hereby give Notice, that they will attend every Day at the said Office (except Sundays), to take in old Paper Money, 'til the middle of *November*; and from thence 'til *Christmas*, on every Monday, Tuesday, Wednesday, and Thursday; and after *Christmas*, on Monday, Tuesday, and Wednesday, in every Week.

Signed by Order of the Commissioners,

Novemb. 2, 1748.

RICHARD DORSKY, Clerk.

THE Ship *Ranger*, lying in *South River*, at *LONDON*-Town, carrying 10 Guns and 32 Men, *Stephen Hooper* Commander, takes in Tobacco consigned to *Mr. John Hanbury*, Merchant in *London*, at Eight Pounds Sterling per Ton.

STEPHEN HOOPER.

ANNAPOLIS: Printed by JONAS GREEN, Post-Master, at his PRINTING-OFFICE in *Charles-Street*; where Advertisements are taken in, and all Persons may be supplied with this Paper.

WHEREAS a Certain *John Obartlett*, hath lately published in the *MARYLAND GAZETTE*, No. 176, also in several others, his Intention of going to *England* with the present Shipping; and hath, since that Time, absented himself from my service, to whom he is now a Servant, under Contract, at considerable yearly Wages; which contract he hath not performed, nor complied with, but left his said service, without giving me the least Warning, to my very great Prejudice and Damage. He is harboured, encouraged, and entertained, by some persons in this Town; to whom I give this Public notice, that if they continue so to do, I shall take such measures both with him and them, as the Law directs.

CHARLES COLE.

TO BE SOLD

BY the Subscriber, Part of a Tract of Land called *Yem's Part*, lying in the Fork of *Patauxent River*, in *Anne Arundel* County, about six Miles from *Mr. Snowden's* Iron Works, containing 350 Acres, all Wood-Land, and well timber'd; and good low Ground, for those who are inclined to make Meadows. Whoever has a Mind to buy the same, may apply to the Subscriber at *Mrs. Sarah Warfield's*, near the Head of *Seyvern River*, where a good Title to the said Land shall be made by

ABSOLUTE WARFIELD.

JAMES HUTCHINGS,

Living at COWPEN-POINT, on Kent Island,

HAVING good Boats and skilful Hands, for carrying Passengers, Horses, and Carriages, across the Bay, in almost any Weather; hereby gives Notice, That he keeps the Ferry from *Kent* to *Annapolis*, and from *Annapolis* to *Kent*: He has good Accommodations at his House for the Entertainment of Gentlemen and their Servants, and good Provender or Pasture for Horses. Any Gentlemen travelling that Way from the Western Shore, may meet with him almost any Day, at *Mrs. Minkie's* in *Annapolis*, one of his Boats being often on that Side the Bay to wait on Passengers; who may all depend on good Usage, from

JAMES HUTCHINGS.

JUST IMPORTED,

In the Ship *Edinburgh*, Capt. Russell, and to be Sold by the Subscriber in *Baltimore-Town*;

MEN and womens velvets, black mantua and padufoy silks, silk and worsted damasks for furniture, Irish linnens, osabrigs, Manchester cheques, kerseys, half thicks, fearnoughts, duffels, bear skins, coarse cloths, nails, cotton gowns, striped and plain flannel, Welch cotton, felt hats, cambricks, muslins, men and womens shoes, stays, stockings, ironmongery, stationary, haberdashery, and cutlery wares; powder and shot; with sundry other Things too tedious to mention; to be sold by Wholesale or Retail, for Ready Money, Bills of Exchange, Tobacco, Walnut Plank, Indian Corn, Staves, Wheat, Flour, Pork, Tallow, or Skins.

Likewise to be sold, *West-India* Rum, single and double refined Sugar, Coffee, Chocolate, Pepper, and exceeding good Teas at 15 s. per Pound.

JOHN STEVENSON.

TO BE SOLD,

By the Subscriber, for Paper Money, or Tobacco.

A Good Tract of Land, containing about 480 Acres, lying on the Waggon-Road near *Sanna Bridge*, convenient for in and Trade, or any public Business. It consists of two Plantations; on one of which is a good new Dwelling-House, 52 Feet long, with three Stone Chimneys, plank'd above and below, with two Rooms feat'd with Plank; a Milk-house, Meat-house, Corn-house, Stable, Barn, a good Well, and an Orchard planted with about 300 Trees; about 50 Acres of the Land is under Fence, clear'd, and fit for plowing; with a great deal of rich Bottom, and 4 or 5 Acres of Meadow Ground. The other Plantation contains about 30 Acres of clear'd Ground, with a Dwelling-House 20 Feet by 16, and a 30 Feet Tobacco-house. Any Person inclinable to purchase, may view the Premises, and know the Price, by applying to the Printer hereof, or

HENRY CRAMPHORN.

The Purchaser may likewise be supplied with Cattle, Horses, Hogs, Sheep, Corn, Fodder, &c. by the said *Cramphorn*.